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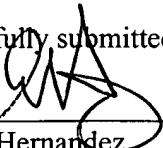
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Transmitted herewith are a Request for a Certificate of Correction pursuant to C.F.R. § 1.322 & 1.323 (3 pages), Certificate of Correction Form PTO-1050 (2 pages), and a return postcard for filing in connection with the above-identified application. One or more of the errors sought to be corrected were made by applicant, and a check for \$100 is enclosed to cover the required fee of 37 CFR §1.20(a).



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**REQUEST FOR CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION**

Applicant hereby requests that a certificate of correction be issued for the above patent in accordance with the attached request.

**IN THE REFERENCES CITED [56]:**

In U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS:

in 5,954,766 please replace "1.24" with -2-;

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**IN THE SPECIFICATION:**

at column 21, line 8, please insert -be- between "can" and "made";  
at column 31, line 48, please insert -is- between "device" and "in"; and  
at column 43, between lines 43 & 44, please insert the following list items:

- (1) Antibiotic agents to inhibit growth of microorganisms (sirolimus, doxycycline, minocycline, bleomycin, tetracycline, etc.)
- (2) Antimicrobial agents to prevent the multiplication or growth of microbes, or to prevent their pathogenic action. - .

**IN THE CLAIMS:**

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## REMARKS

A Certificate of Correction (Form PTO-1050) incorporating the above changes is included with this Request. Since not all the errors are those of the Patent Office, a check is enclosed to cover the required fee. If it is determined that the fee amount is incorrect or if the check is missing, the Office is hereby authorized to charge the fee to Deposit Account No. 06-1050.

This Certificate of Correction seeks to correct typographical and spelling errors in Item [56], References Cited, U.S. Patent Documents. Additionally, this Certificate of Correction seeks to correct typographical and citation errors in Item [56], References Cited, Other Publications.

This Certificate of Correction seeks to correct errors in the Specification. The correction to column 21, line 8 corrects a grammatical error. The correction to column 31, line 48 corrects a grammatical error. The correction at column 43, lines 43-44 inserts the first two list items omitted by the PTO. On page 89, lines 8-11 of the originally filed application the list includes item numbers (1) and (2).

This Certificate of Correction seeks to correct an obvious grammatical error in Claim 9. Claim 9 is amended by incorporating the singular form of the term “claim.”

This Certificate of Correction seeks to amend these errors in the Title Pages, Specification, and Claims introduced by the Patent and Trademark Office and the applicant. These changes do not constitute new matter. Patentee respectfully requests correction of errors by issuance of a Certificate of Correction.

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